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Practitioner's Docket No. 2497/102

PATENT

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of: Powell et al.

Application No.: 09/719,958

Group No.: 2635

Filed: 03/23/2001

Examiner: Brown, Vernal U

For: Anti-Collision Tag Apparatus and System

Mail Stop Amendment  
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AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL

1. Transmitted herewith is an amendment for this application.

STATUS

2. Applicant is other than a small entity.

EXTENSION OF TERM

3. The proceedings herein are for a patent application and the provisions of 37 C.F.R. 1.136 apply. Applicant believes that no extension of term is required. However, this conditional petition is being made to provide for the possibility that applicant has inadvertently overlooked the need for a petition for extension of time.

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### FEE FOR CLAIMS

4. The fee for claims (37 C.F.R. 1.16(b)-(d)) has been calculated as shown below:

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INDEP.	3	—	3	=	0	x	\$ 200.00	= \$ 0.00
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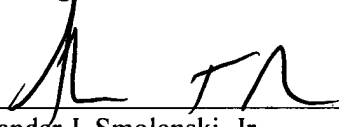
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### FEE DEFICIENCY

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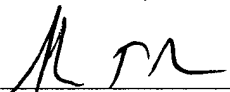
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**AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.116-EXPEDITED PROCEDURE  
EXAMINING GROUP 2635**

RESPONSE G

Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed June 15, 2005, Applicant submits the following remarks:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 8 of this paper.